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It is my firm belief that any more litigation against Microsoft would once more plunge the tec. markets into another freefall just as two years ago when weak insecure corporations turned to the Clinton justice department for help. If the government wants to bring on another down cycle, just keep pounding away at the one company that truly knows how to innovate and develop solutions to complex problems. Why is it that people who know how to get things done are always being attacked by those who can't? The more I see the law being applied in this country, the less respect I have for it. Lawyers, journalists, politicians - they build nothing yet suck the life out of everything.